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# ROCKEFELLER IS MAKING A VISIT IN MINE COUNTRY

John D., Jr., Travels Through Colorado Inspecting Properties in that State.

SEES THE BATTLE GROUND

Younger Oil King Arrives in Trinidad Unannounced, Accompanied Only by Secretary.

WILL INSPECT THE CONDITIONS

TRINIDAD, Colo., Sept. 20 .- John D. Rockefeller, jr., arrived here at 8 o'clock today for an inspection of the properties of the Colorado Fuel and Iron company. Mr. Rockefeller and his party probably will spend two or three weeks in Colorado.

No definite itinerary has been planned. It is expected that the program will be arranged from day to day in accordance with Mr. Rockefeller's wishes and convenience.

The Colorado visit of Mr. Rockefeller, as active representative of the principal owning interest of the Colorado Fuel and Iron company, has been planned since early in the year. It had its inception at the New York hearings before the federal commission on industrial relations.

Invited by Mother Jones. On January 27 Mr. Rockefeller was a witness before the commission. After leaving the stand for the noon recess, the capitalist stopped to speak to "Mother" Jones, whom he previously had invited to call upon him and talk over the Colorade labor situation.

'After we have our conference," said "Mother" Mary Jones, "I want you to come out to Colorado with me and see the things I have seen. I am sure what you see will make you do things and will make you one of the greatest men." Rockefeller said he might go to Colorado with "Mother" Jones.

The next day Mrs. Jones issued a statement in which she expressed the hope that Mr. Rockefeller would visit Colorado "while the ashes of Ludlow are still

Other labor leaders present at the industrial relations hearing urged Rockefeller to visit the scenes of the recently ended Colorado coal miners' strike, and it was agreed that he would make the trip as soon as business affairs and other matters would permit him to leave the east. The trip was planned for April, but the death on April 15 of Senator Nelson W. Aldrich, Mr. Rockefeller's father-in-law, forced a postponement. Other causes of deloy prevented Mr. Rockofeller starting for the west until

Accompanied Only by Secretary. Mr. Rockefeller, who had travelled all the way from New York without his desan ordinary sleeping car on an Atchison. Topeka and Santa Fe train arriving from Chicago. He was accompanied only by his secretary, Charles O. Heydt. Rockefeller was welcomed at the station by Jesse F. Welborn, president of the Colorado Fuel and Iron company; E. H. Weitzel, manager of the fuel department, W. L. Mackensie King, head of the industrial welfare department of the Rockefeller corporations and F. A. McGregor, Mr. King's secretary. Mr. Rockefeller and Mr. Reydt immediately went to breakfast in a local hotel, while Mr. Welborn made arrangements for an early start to one of the mining properties of the company.

First Stop at Ludlow. BERWIND, Colo., Sept. 20 .- John D. hefeller began his inspection of Colcompany by a visit to the Berwind The Rockefeller party made the alle trip from Trinidad in two biles. On the way a long detour rab made to pass by the site of the tent

Mr. Rockefeller stopped his car for sevminutes while his companions pointed out to him the various places connected with the battle of Ludlow, fought April 20, 1914, between strikers and militia

Arriving at Berwind Rockefelier visited the mine office and other parts of the property, asking many questions. He conversed for several minutes with a dustgrimed fire boss who had just come from the underground workings,

## The Weather

Forecast till 7 p. m. Tuesday: For Omaha, Council Bluffs and Vicinity -Fair, with rising temperature. Temperature at Omaha Yesterday



Hours.

Comparative Local Record. 1915, 1911, 1913, 1913 Highest yesterday ... Lowest yesterday Mean temperature Precipitation Temperature and precipitation depar-

Reports from Stations at 7 P. M. Station and State of Weather Cheyenne, clear ..... Davenport, clear ..... Temp. High-Rain-7 p.m. est. fall.

Davenport clear
Denver clear
Des Moines clear
Des Moines clear
Podge City, part cloudy
Lander, part cloudy
North Pintts, clear
Omaha, clear
Pueblo, clear
Ravid City, clear
Sait Lake, part cloudy
Santa Fe clear
Sheridan, clear
Sl ux tity, clear
Valentine, clear

L A. WELSH, Local Forecaster.

PRESIDENT POINCARE OF FRANCE, accompanied by King Albert of Belgium and General Joffre and M. Millerand, presenting colors to a newly formed regiment.



# **OMAHA WARMS TO** SUNDAY'S WORK

Committee's Plea for Funds for Campaign Expenses.

THIRTEENTH DAYS PIGURES.

Trail Attend. Collections.

hitters. ance. tions.

evicus days....473 176,700 \$10,397.26 climax United States Senator Albert Bunday-

M. E. Church, eve 9 Totals ...... 931 212,700 \$17,108.75

TODAY'S MEETINGS. 10 a. m.-Neighborhood prayer mostings throughout the city. 12 Noon-Shop meetings.

2 p. m .- Sunday at the Tabernacle. 2:15 p. m .- Central Righ school boys at Central U. P. church, Miss Miller. 2:30 p. m .- Central High school girls, ado properties of the Colerado Fuel and Pirst M. E. church, Miss Miller. 3 p. m .- Tabernacle Bible class, Miss

Baxe. 3:45 p. m .- Boys' and girls' meeting, Central Park Congregational church, Miss Gamlin.

4:30 p. m.—Boys' and girls' meeting, Walnut Hill M. E. church, Miss Gamlin.

6:45 p. m,-Business women's council of key women, Y. W. C. A., Miss Miller. 7:30 p. m .- Sunday at the Tabernacle. 8 p. m .- Bible class, Benson Presbyterian church, Miss Sare.

No more collections will be taken in the "Billy" Sunday Tabernacle, with one or two exceptions and charity collections until the final Sunday of the campaign when "Billy" gets all the collections for himself.

So successful has been the solicita tion of the committee during the last week and so splendid was the response to the call for personal contributions and pledges ; atomic; morning and so big was the collection in the afternoon that "illy" announced the heavy Omaha budget, \$27,000, had been almost met and no collections will be taken up until Friday, this week. And next Sunday Chamber of Commerce it is expected everything will be "cleaned up" and the campaign will go on collectionless to the end.

"Billy" was in fine humor because the money response, "There haven't been many places that have beaten Omaha."

he said, with a broad smile. In Good Humor.

The thirteenth day of the campaign wasn't "half bad." With nearly all the money raised, with almost a half thousand trail hitters, "Billy" could afford to laugh-even though "Ma" went away at 9 o'clock to Winona Lake, Ind., to see her two youngest boys and is planning to be gone till Friday, just arriving back in

time for the mothers' meeting. The Tabernacle was filled and jammed with a sweltering crowd soon after 6 o'clock, "Rody" and the choir sang solos and hymns until Mr. Sunday came and after the happy talk about he money and (Continued on Page Two, Column One.) fornis."

# PRIEST IS BLAMED IN MURDER TRIAL

Magnificent Response Is Made to U. S. Senator Fall Tells Court that In this manner the commission would avoid the payment of interest on the Father Migeon Stirred Up Strife.

5,128.07 B. Fall of New Mexico, sprung the 1,023.38 only sensation of the James L. Porter 368.31 murder trial here late Saturday evecattle wars or water wars in New Tuesday, September 28. Mexico.

> he would have nothing to do with the guaranteed. upon which he was employed.

Attacks Priest. Senator Fall, in a mild tone, declared that Cravens' statements on the stand had not corresponded with these maue by him to Senator Fall about the case while talking with him. Senator Fall then declared that he had warned Futher Migeon, the parish priest at Tularosa, much, as he was liable to start another war in the southwest. He declared that his priestly garb to incite feeling against (Continued on Page Two, Column Two.)

## Some Banks Lending Money at More Than One Hundred Per Cent

RALEIGH, N. C., Sept. 20.-Facts concerning high interest rates being charged by national banks throughout the country were disclosed by W. P. G. Harding, member of the Federal Reserve board, a speech tonight before the Raieigh

g'rom the report to the comptroller of June 23, 1915," he said, "It appears there are five national banks in Alabama part as follows: whose maximum rates of interest average of these banks was charging on all of Reninghe. its loans amounted to 12 per cent and another 10 per cent. In Arkansas one national bank admitted making aloan at a rate as high as 120 er cent and another one at 50 per cent, another at 80

and another at 25. "In Georgia there were eleven banks where the average maximum rate of interest was about 30 per cent. The maximum rate charged by one of these banks was 40 per cent and the average on all loans was 15 per cent. In Texas a num ber of banks reported rates in excess of 100 per cent and many of them stated their average rates on all loans were

1 per cent per month or more. These high rates, however, are no confined exclusively to the south for the reports show occasional rates of 50 per cent in the east and north, as well as in the far west and south. Twelve per cent seems to be regarded still as not extraordinary by the country bankers of Minns Wyoming, Kentucky and Cali-

# WILL NOT ALLOW Chalans Instrument arms UNITIONS

TO BLOCK LOAN

These Exports Are Said to Be Considerably Less Than Twenty-Five Per Cent of American Shipments to Allies.

MONEY NOT TO BE LOCKED UP mans.

Amount Is Not Going to Be Packed in New York Treasure Chest,

It Is Said. SUBSCRIBE IN INSTALLMENTS

NEW YORK, Sept. 20,-Munitions of war will not be allowed to drovsk to a position further to the rear. block the proposed big credit loan to We took 550 prisoners. The enemy at-Great Britain and France nor will tack on the opposing forces, which are the \$600,000,000 or \$800,000,000 retreating from the district of Vilna is to be obtained be locked up at once reached a line on the Niemen. The enemy in a New York treasure chest, ac- offered temporary resistance at a few cording to a consensus of opinion to- points only. day of those in close touch with reached the Golozadz district, at Dwor- field by the French. negotiations for raising the money.

Exports of munitions, it was estimated, constitute considerably less than 25 per cent of the total value of American shipments to Great Britain and France. Leaving them out of the calculations, if provision products and the chief manufactured articles, exchange will, in the opinion of bankers, become stabilized.

Wouldn't Be Difficult. It would not be difficult then to find a method of paying for munitions, if it were necessary to adopt a different method, it is believed. Gold or American securities or both or even some other method of payment could be arranged. On this point the Anglo-French commission was said tonight to be substantially in accord with the views of their American associates. The commission is reported to have taken the attitude that their first task was to stabilize exchange; and that the matter of paying for munitions, which was said recently to have become a question of considerable variance of opinion, is to be subordinated to this.

It was reported tonight on good authority that the tentative proposals now up for adoption provide for installment subscriptions to loan on the part of the guarantors, such installments to be paid as necessity arises for the use of funds. In some quarters it was assumed that the sum each bank should pledge would be payable in four equal installments, subject to call, and that bonds would be issued as each installment was paid. entire loan, long before all the funds

# from New York without his des-becoming known, stepped from MANY HIT THE SAWDUST TRAIL W. J. CONNELL TALKS TO JURY Ambassador Dumba

NEW YORK, Sept. 20.-It was learned murder trial here late Saturday eve- today that Dr. Constantin T. Dumba, ning, when he made an impassioned the Austro-Hungarian ambassador, whose appeal to the court, to the jury and has reserved passage on the steamer the community not to have any more Rotterdam, which sails from this port

The reservation was made today. The Rotterdam's port of destination is Rot-Senator Fall, who lives at Three terdam, Holland, whence the ambassador Rivers, N. M., near Tularosa, ap-may travel through neutral territory into peared of his own free will to im- Germany and thence to Vienna. The Rotpeach the testimony offered in the call at Falmouth, England, but it is aswas working on the Fall ranch and assurances through the United States who had promised Senator Fall that government that his safe passage is

Ambassador Dumba, at last accounts, Connell-Porter case as a condition was at his summer home at Lenox, Mass.

## Nun Sent to Jail for Trying to Take Mail Across Line

PARIS, Sept. 20 .- A dispatch to the not to talk about the Connell case too Havas News agency from Geneva says: "Extraordinary precautions have been taken by the German military adminishe told the Father that he was using tration to prevent uncensored letters from leaving Germany. A sister superior of the Order of Sante Christiania at Metz was searched on her departure for a trip to Switzerland. Various letters intended for mailing outside of Germany were found uffon her and she was sentenced to fifteen days in prison. A sister who had written one of the letters was sentenced to a month's imprisonment."

# German Attack On Three Belgian Towns Repulsed

PARIS, Sept. 20.-The Belgian official munication issued Sunday reads in

"This morning was characterized by 26 per cent, the rate in one case being great activity on the part of the artillery 9) per cent and in another 34 per cent, of the enemy, chiefly against the Groce The average rate of interest which one farm, Grodtvoordhof, Oustkerke and

"Our artillery dispersed the enemy



Here are the dates for our coming Ak - Sar - Ben eventa:

Sept. 29, Carnival begins Oct. 5, Floral Parade Oct. 6, Electrical Parade Oct. 8, Coronation Ball Oct. 9. Carnival Ends

# Germans Report Defeat of Serbs on Banks of Danube, Near Belgrade

councement was made by the war office Myschlaka district, here today of an attack by German zen: The enemy has been forced further forces on the Serbians. It was said the back everywhere.

Serbians were driven back. German forces are pursuing the Russian army which is attempting to escape troops took 100 prisoners. from the enveloping movement in the Vilna region. The Russians are offering little resistance to the advancing Ger-

The statement follows: "Western theater: Enemy ships which bombarded Westende and Middelkerke on the Belgian coast without result withdrew before our fire. Some of these ships were struck,

"Eastern theater: Army of Field Marshal von Mindenburg: In the vicinity of the bridgehead at Dvinsk the enemy was forced to retreat from Novo Alexanproceeding further to the south. We have

BERLIN (Via London), Sept. 30.-An- | zec, while its left wing is approaching the "Army of Field Marshal Von Macken-

> "Southeastern theater: During en-"On the northern bank of the Danube, German artillery engaged in battle Serblan positions south of the river, near Semendria (twenty-four miles southeast

> This is the first official announcemen of the presence of Germans on the Serbian front. It has been reported for several weeks that the Germans and Austrians were planning a new campaign in the Balkans, with the object to the assistance of the Turks.

Recent unofficial advices from Athens represented the position of the Turks on the Gallipoli peninsula as precarious, owing to heavy losses and shortage of

Official announcement was made in England in July that British forces, the 500,000 men. The conditions under strength of which was not given, had which the Russians are attempting to een sent to Serbia. It is also known that "The army of Prince Leopold has the Serbians are being assisted in the

### VILLA REPORTED SYNDICATE WILL OFF FOR SONORA

be made for the shipment of soil Northern Chieftain Is Moving His Rate Will Be Five Per Cent and Army from Chihuahua Into

Neighboring State.

EL PASO, Tex., Sept. 20 .- The they passed his car en route.

they said.

Thirteen troop trains are reported Grandes today.

Blanco Captured by Obregon. Obregou, according to an official Car-ranza dispatch from Vera Cruz received

another effort on the part of Carranga comes to pay the principal. lenders o strengthen their position in the eyes of the Pan-American conferees, who

Evacuation of Torreon Confirmed. WASHINGTON, Sept. 20 .- State department advices today confirmed the evacuation of Torreon by Villa forces last Saturday. There were no disorders during the evacuation and the American consul at Durango was expected to pass through the city yesterday with twenty-five Americans en route for the border. Dispatches from Vera Cruz said rail traffic with Mexico City had been resumed.

#### Quits Pulpit to Resume Office lieve that the loans should cover munttions; a great many American bankers in the Artillery

SEATTLE, Wash., Sept. 20.-Rev. Arthur P. S. Hyde, who during three years of missionary and church work has maintained his rank as a captain of artillery in the United States army, announced, it was made public today, his resignation as pastor of St. Clements Episcopal church here so that he might return to full duty as an army officer. Captain Hyde said he intended to de vote his entire time to instructing the coast artillery reserve corps of the Washington National Guard to which duty he has been assigned by the War depart-

Throughout his ministry Captain Hyde carried out the military duties assigned

## The Day's War News

CONCERN IS EXPRESSED in London for the safety of the Russian forces retreating from Vilna, estimated to number from 250,000 to 500,000. The Bussian line of retreat from the Vilna region has been limited because of the German encircling movement to a single railroad route through Lida to the southeast. Foreign military observers say that one of the greatest hattles of the war may develop from the efforts of the Russinus to extriente themselves from the loop.

PETROGRAD CORESPONDENTS exman encircling movements. DISPATCH TO a Petrograd news-

paper from Kiev contain a statement that the evacuation of this important city of southwestern Russia is proceeding normally. PARIS REPORTS intense activity gian line.

# of Belgrade). The enemy was driven off and his artillery fire was silenced.

# UNDERWRITE LOAN

Bonds Will Be First Lien on All British and French Assets.

#### BLANCO TAKEN BY OBREGON MANY BANKS TO PARTICIPATE

arrival of General Villa at Jaurez, est underwriting syndicate the west- single railway line and the few available the border town opposite here, was ern world has ever known was in forecasted today by passengers ar- process of formation today to handle ber of Russian prisoners left behind with riving on special trains, who declared the prosped "billion-dollar" credit the evacuation of Vilna was not great. loan to Great Britain and France, Apparently the only way in which the The whole Villa army is appar- which now has shrunk, it was reently being transferred to Sonora ported to a sum yet to be determined, state via Jaurez and Casca Grandes, between \$600,000,000 and \$800,-000,000.

This syndicate, according to tentaports and not for war munitions.

Rate in Five Per Cent. New Move by Carransa.

The price at which tols syndicate will BROWNSVILLE, Pex., Sept. 20.—Gens put out the British and French governeral Jacinto Trevino, Carranza com- ment bond issue to secure the loan, will mander of the department of the north- be par. The bonds will pay 5 per cent east of Mexico, arrived in Matamoros interest and will be a first mortgage Engages Passage On It was reported here that General Trevine would attempt a settlement of the barder troubles or would try to reach an its the proposed big bond issue here. Even border troubles or would try to reach an its the proposed big bond issue here. Even portant town in Western understanding with United States mili- the staggering sums raised by bond istary authorities which would eliminate sues at home with which the war has future friction and fighting across the in- been carried on, will come second to the ternational boundary. Many saw in this loan to be floated here when the time

For the first time in history the English pound sterling has yielded first place are considering the question of diplomatic in international finance to the American recognition of some government in Mex- dollar in this respect. The whole big issue of bonds will be payable in American dollars, principal and interest. The bonds will run five or ten years;

it is not yet known which

Many Banks Will Participate. It is regarded as certain that the members of the syndicate of underwriters will consist of hundreds of institutions and possibly thousands. These banks will be given a small profit on the transaction, somewhere in the neighborhood of one-half of 1 per cent, it is believed. The next big question to be settled, it was said, whether munitions of war should be paid for out of the proceeds of the loan. The commission is said to be-

## think it should not. Investment Banker Believes War Will Make America Rich

DENVER, Colo., Sept. 20.-Confidence in the ability of European countries to pay the enormous indebtedness resulting from the war was expressed by A. B. Leach of New York, president, in his annual address before the opening session of the convention of the Investment Bankers' Association of America here today. This, he said, must be accomplished by a long period of rigid economy and high taxation by European countries. He expressed the opinion that this gradual readjustment in business would make America richer and place this country in a stronger financial and busi-

tess position than ever before.

The report of Frederick R. Fanton, see retary. reviewed the year's work of the association. Three hundred delegates from all parts of the country were in attendance. The convention will continue

# Russia Will Lift Embargo Against Exports to U.S.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 20,-A special messenger was today dispatched by the State department to Secretary Lansing press confidence that the Russian at his summer place on Lake Ontario, armies will be safely withdrawn with the agreement for lifting the Rusfrom the Tentonie net in the Vilna sian embargh against exports to the region, as they have been previ- United States. After Secretary Lansing ously from the grasp of other Ger- has signed the agreement it will be carried to Newport, R. I., to be signed for the Russian government by Ambassador Bakhmeteff. The agreement will then become operative immediately.

Under the agreement Russian exports to the United States will be released if consigned to the American secretary of commerce and if Russia is given satisby artiliery along the Franco-Bel- factory guarantees that the goods will not reach its enemies.

# GREAT BATTLE IS PENDING TO SOUTH OF VILNA

sagements of minor importance German Large Russian Army that Evacuated the City is Now Menaced by the Great German Loop.

LIKE FLIGHT FROM WARSAW

Deep Concern is Felt in London for Safety of Retiring Russian Forces.

COUNTER BLOW IS NECESSARY

LONDON, Sept. 20 .- The Russian army menaced since the fall of Vilna by the German encircling movement is estimated variously at 250,000 to extricate themselves furnish a striking parallel to those which followed the capture of Warsaw. They may precipitate one of the greatest, if not the greatest, battle which has been fought on the eastern front.

Although no official confirmation has been received in London from Petrograd this morning of the fall of Vilna, the British press has accepted the German claim readily in view of the situation that had been developing. Concern is expressed for the retiring Russian forces. So far as can be judged Field Marshal von Hindenburg's troops have flung a loop about the Russians over a front of some 200 miles, and are not only in their NEW YORK, Sept. 20 .- The larg- rear, but are menacing seriously the wagon roads stretching to the south.

As was the case at Warsaw, the num retiring forces may ameliorate the seemingly bad situation is by a counter blow. One Chance for Return Blow.

It is pointed out that Von Hindenburg's cavalry has penetrated so deeply into hos tile country as to create a salient open stalled for coal or water between tive arrangements said to have been to sudden attack, if the Russians should be able to command reinforcements at the Chihuahua City and Jaurez. Troop agreed upon, will comprise national proper time and place, but it is not beand supply trains arriving yesterday and state banks and trust companies lieved here that his opponents are in a were routed through to Cascas from the Atlantic to the Pacific. A position to deal such a blow effectively. number of so-called pro-German There is a great deal of speculation as to the German objective. Opinion is difinanciers, it was reported, will join vided whether Von Hindenburg will seek SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Sept. 20. - General the syndicate, if it be finally agreed merely to close his loop, thus capturing Lucio Blanco has been captured and is now held a prisoner in jail by General shall be available for commodity exin an effort to reproduce the encircling movement on a more gigantic scale and again try for a decisive victory. Similar tactics attempted after the full of Warsaw met with failure. The Russians are employing their familiar rear guard tactics and the hope is expressed in the

> portant town in Western Russia. a railway junction of great military im portance. It was from Vilna that Na-(Continued on Page Two, Column Three.)

## Training Camp for Officers at Fort Sheridan is Open

CHICAGO, Sept. 20 .- Six hundred busiess and professional men from Chicago and other middle west cities laid aside their civilian clothes today for the uniform of the United States army. They started a month's course in military instruction at the training camp established at Fort Sheridan. The course will

continue until October. Army officers believed that the month of instruction will produce enough trained men to officer the companies of practically an entire volunteer army division. The students are men from all ranks of life. Colonel W. J. Nicholson is in charge of the camp.

After first lessons are learned, officers in charge of the instruction plan to rush the men through a routine that will keep them busy from 5:55 to 6 o'clock in the evening.

## THE WANT-AD-WAY



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